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Introduction

This document is the Index to the Supplement to the Administrative Record for the second Explanation of Significant Differences (ESD) for the New Bedford Harbor site Hot Spot Operable Unit. The subject of this second ESD is the need to store the untreated, dredged hot spot sediments while alternative treatment technologies are being evaluated.

The Administrative Record is available for public review at the EPA New England Record Center at 90 Canal Street in Boston, MA (tel. 617-573-5729) and at the New Bedford Wilkes Branch Library, 1911 Acushnet Ave., New Bedford, Massachusetts, 02745.(tel. 508-991-6214). Although not expressly listed in this index, all documents contained in the Administrative Record for the April 6, 1990 New Bedford Harbor NPL site Hot Spot Operable Unit Record of Decision as well as the Administrative Record as of the July 2, 1992 Update to the New Bedford Harbor NPL site Estuary, Lower Harbor/Bay Operable Unit are incorporated by reference herein, and are expressly made a part of the Second Explanation of Significant Differences for the Hot Spot Operable Unit. Questions concerning the Administrative Record should be addressed to the EPA Region I site manager.

The Administrative Record is required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), as amended by the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act (SARA).

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